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Serial Nos. 192

Part B. for July 1905

SUBJECT.

Consideration of Robertsonpet as a town for the purposes of the levy of the mohatarfa tax therein

FILE No. 372 of 1904-05.

Consideration of Robertsonpet as a town for the purposes of levy of mohatarfa tax therein.

- 1 From the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore, letter No. 9421, dated the 29th May 1905. Forwards copy of letter No. C. 567, dated the 24th April 1905, from the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, stating that Robertsonpet is a rising town where the rental value of buildings is higher than in Bangalore and Mysore, that the Sanitary Board have requested that mohatarfa tax should be levied on houses, etc., from 1904 and 1905 and requests that it may be considered as a town for the purposes of levy of mohatarfa tax therein just as Bangalore and Mysore were, in accordance with Government Order Circular No. 1068-1070—Rev. 8, dated 9th July 1864. (Enclosure one).
- 2 To the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore, the Deputy Commissioner and the President of the Sanitary Board, No. 557-9, dated 12th July 1905. Sanctions the recommendation made in the above.

(1) 5301-02—L. F. 17-99, dated 3rd November 1899.
(2) 14179-90—L. F. 295-6, dated 27th February 1902.
(3) C. 1068-8, dated 9th July 1864.
(4) 265, dated 28th September 1860.

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FILE HEADING.

Consideration of Robertsonpet as a town
for the purposes of levy of Mohatarfa
tax therein

From

The Revenue Commissioner in Mys

No. 9421 Dated 29.5.05 Received 2.6.05

Diary No. 8253

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Serial No. 1

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Recommends, as requested by the Deputy
Commissioner of the Kolar dist., that Robertsonpet
may be considered as a town for the purpose
of levy of Mohatarfa tax therein.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

Y 2. Government - having in their
order no. 5301-02 dated the 3rd
22-17-99

November 1899, assigned to
the Sanitary Board of the Kolar

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Gold Fields the moh at arfa. Collections of villages comprised within the area of the Board, the S. aintary Board in their meeting dated the 9th March 1903 resolved that the Deputy Commr should be requested to assess ^{with} the moh at arfa tax ~~on~~ the houses & shops newly constructed in Robertonpet for the year 1904-5. As the rental value of buildings at Robertonpet is higher than in Bangalore & Mysore, both the Deputy Commr and the Revenue Commissioner recommend that the former should be ordered to be treated as a town for the purposes of levying mohatarfa tax therein according to the scale sanctioned by Govt (vide page 268 of the Revenue Manual) just as Bangalore & Mysore are, on the authority of Govt order no. Genl no. 1068-70 dated Rev 8 the 9th July 1864. The other

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It Head Quarter places do not seem to have been declared towns simply because the no. of houses + shops + the population were considered utterly insignificant when compared with those of Bangalore + Mysore. (vide Nagar Supdts. letter no. 76 d 30. 6. 1864 to the address the Secretary to the Commissioner the Govt of the territories of H. H. Maharaja of Mysore). There are ~~only~~ 200 houses + shops at Robertsonpet, & the population of the Sanitary Board area ~~is~~ 63000. ~~which is more than the population of the Bangalore city.~~ Submitted to the Secy. ~~for~~ ^{to} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~Sanitary Board~~ ^{Sanitary Board} for ~~consideration~~ ^{consideration} as to whether the Revenue ~~Commissioner's~~ ^{Commissioner's} recommendation may

14/6 be sanctioned. 83

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3 It is already under consideration to detach Robertsonpet from the rest of the Gold Field area & constitute it a municipality.

4 The matter prescribed for

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Fushaki & Villages seem too
low for so important
a place as Robertsonpett.
The present proposal
may under the circum-
stances be tentative.
Instructed - Q

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5. Yes - I agree - Why should
the tentative - The Govt
can terminate it at any
time when a different order
of things is decided to take
the place of the present
organisation. Would
omit the tentative feature

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6. Draft

6.7.1905

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5.9.07

7. Draft - submitted

Wong
7/7/058. Report
8/7/1905

2 9. To do, The Deputy Commr the President of the
Sanitary Board. No 557-9 d 12.7.05. Sanctioning
the recommendation made in the above.

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T. ANANDA ROW Esq., B. A.,
Revenue Commissioner
in Mysore

*The Secretary to the Government of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
General & Revenue Department*

Despatched

May 1905.

Received

No. 9421

Enclosure No. One.

Recommending that sanction of Government may be accorded to Robertson being treated as^a town for purposes of assessing Mohatarfa tax.

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OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER
 NO 8504
 APR 26. 1905
 BANGALORE.
 IN MYSORE

Encl to Rev. Comr's
 letter no 9421
 29/5/05

From
 H. P. Subramaniam Esq
 Deputy Commissioner
 Kolar District

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To
 T. Ananda Rao Esq
 B.A.
 Revenue Commissioner
 in Mysore

Dated 24th
 Despatched } April 1905

Received

General No. C 567
 No.

Enclosure No.

Subd. for order.

The letter may be
 forwarded to Govt. for orders,
 recommending the acceptance
 of the B. Comr's proposals
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Recommending the
 new town in the Kolar
 gold fields known
 as the Robertsonpet
 to be treated as a town
 for assessing mohata
 tax.

a similar report was recd
 from the B. Comr. Please put up

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 27. 4. 05

Submitted

By 575/05
 Submitted for
 sanction -
 24 May 05

Kolar Deputy Commissioner's Office
Dated 24th April 1905.

From,

H. P. Puttannachetty Esq^{re}
Deputy Commissioner
Kolar District

To,

A. Ananda Row Esq & Co. A.
Revenue Commissioner
in Mysore.

Sir,

I have the honor to state that when a separate Local Board known as the Sanitary Board of the Kolar Gold Field was formed in 1899, ~ Government in their order No. 5301-02
24 11-99 Y dated 3rd November 1899 were pleased to assign to the new Board, the Mohatarfa collections of the villages comprised within the area of the Board.

2.

The Mohatarfa in the above villages is collected by the village Revenue Officials under the supervision of the Taluk authorities and credited to the Sanitary Board which pays the village Officials ~ as remuneration 3 per cent of such X

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collections, under Government
Order No. 14179-90 dated 27-2-1902.
L.F. 95-96

3. As none but employees of the mines were allowed to live on the mine area, it became necessary with the development of the mining industry to start a new town ~ where the native population may reside. Accordingly the lands of Nachakapalli, Somakuppam, Oorigam and Masikam villages which are included in the Sanitary Board area were duly acquired for the formation of the new town and divided into convenient sites ~ suitable for constructing shops, bungalows and residential ~ quarters etc. It has now become a prosperous township with a flourishing market. 200 houses and shops have already been built and more are under construction.

4. The place went by the name of

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New Town for a time, but subsequently it was formally named Robertsonpet by His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

5.

The buildings in Robertsonpet have not hitherto been assessed with mohatarfa tax. The question was discussed at a meeting of the Sanitary Board held on the ~~11~~⁹ March 1905, and the Board resolved to request the Deputy Commissioner to assess the mohatarfa tax on the buildings for the year 1904-1905. A copy of the resolution is herewith submitted for perusal.

6. I request that sanction may be kindly accorded to assess and levy mohatarfa tax in Robertsonpet, according to the scale sanctioned by Government in Notification No 265 dated 28-9-1860, and printed at page 268 of the Revenue Manual.

In circular order No 1068-8 dated

9-7-1860, Government have directed

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that only Mysore and Bangalore
should be treated as Towns. As
Robertsonpet is a rising town of
great importance and as the
rental value of buildings there
is much higher than in Bangalore
or Mysore Cities, I would beg to
recommend that Robertsonpet
may be treated as a town for
assessing mohatarfa tax.

I have the honor to be
Sir,

Your most obedient

W. H. Cunningham

Deputy Commissioner
Kolar District

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Proceedings of the Sanitary Board
of the Kolar Gold Fields at
meeting held on the 9th March 1905

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Resolution VII

Resolved that the
Deputy Commissioner be requested
to assess the mohatarfa tax
on the houses and shops newly
constructed in Robertsonpore
for the year 1904-05.

(SD) K. P. Puttannaiah
President
Sanitary Board

Copy.

W. H. Cunningham

Deputy Commissioner
Kolar District

Diary No. of letter replied to 8253

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE
SECRETARIAT.

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READ.—

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Date of issue 13-7-05

Signed by Mr. H. Ramaniya

Letter No. 9421
dated the 29th May
1905 from the Revenue
Commissioner in Mysore
recommending, as re-
quested by the Deputy

~~ORDER THEREON.~~ No.

Commissioner of the Kobari
st., that Robertsonpet
may be ordered to be
treated as a town for
purposes of assessing
mohatara tax according
to the scale sanctioned
over

SUBJECT

Directs that Robertsonpet may be treated as
a town for the purposes of assessing mohatara
tax according to the scale laid down in
Govt Order No. 265 dated the 28th September 1860.

~~My recommendation no~~
265 dated the 28th September
1860, as it is a rising
town of great importance
and the rental value of
buildings therein is much
higher than in the cities
of Bangalore & Mysore

Order thereon No.

No. 557-9 of 12-2-05
L.B(372-m)

The recommendation
made in the above is
sanctioned.

to
8.7.1205

Secretary

J.D.

8/7/05

5.9.17/05

To

The Rev. Commr in
Mysore

The Comptroller in
Mysore

The Deputy Commr
of the Kolar Dist

The President of the
Sanitary Board of
the Kolar Gold Fields

J.P. 8/2/05

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